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MAYOR BALLARD ANNOUNCES 2013 SUSTAINABILITY AWARD WINNERS

INDIANAPOLIS – Mayor Greg Ballard today honored five local organizations and businesses for their efforts to make the city more sustainable. The winners were announced at the 2013 Sustainability Awards luncheon at the JW Marriott hotel in downtown Indianapolis.

“This year’s winning projects exemplify the ways businesses, residents and community partners can work together to improve our city,” said Mayor Ballard. “They are leading the way to make our city one of the most sustainable in the country.”

The five categories for the awards are air, land, water, energy, and reduce, reuse, recycle.

Air

- **Winning Project: Wet Electrostatic Precipitator (WESP)**
 - Quemetco, Inc.

Energy

- **Winning Project: Compressed Natural Gas Conversion**
 - Monarch Beverage

Land

- **Winning Project: Service Center for Culture and Community**
 - Big Car

Reduce, Reuse and Recycle

- **Winning Project: The Residences at CityWay/ The Alexander Hotel (CityWay Phase 1)**
 - Buckingham Companies

Water

- **Winning Project: Double 8 Rain Garden**
 - Indy Tilt

The Indianapolis Sustainability Awards are presented annually by the City's Office of Sustainability and the McKinney Green Initiatives Fund. This year’s awards were sponsored by Tom Wood Automotive Group. Application deadlines for the 2014 Indianapolis Sustainability Awards will be announced later in 2013. For more information about the Office of Sustainability please visit www.indy.gov/sustainindy.